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TAGS: PFOR, BX, UK

SUBJ: UNGA: RESOLUTION ON BRUNEI

REF: STATE 236807 (NOTAL)

1. FOR THE RECORD, UK ASKED UNGA TO REMOVE BRUNEI FROM LIST OF NON SELF-GOVERNING TERRITORIES (ON WHICH UK OBLIGED BY UN CHARTER TO REPORT) NOT ON GROUNDS THAT BRUNEI HAS ACHIEVED SELF-GOVERNMENT BUT BECAUSE:

A) BRUNEI HAS ALWAYS HAD INTERNAL SELF-GOVERNMENT AND THEREFORE SHOULD NEVER HAVE BEEN PLACED ON LIST IN FIRST PLACE; &

B) ALL UK RESPONSIBILITY FOR BRUNEI'S AFFAIRS ENDED WITH TERMINATION OF TREATY RELATIONSHIP WITH SULTAN WHEREBY UK HANDLED FOREIGN RELATIONS AND DEFENSE.

2. UK'S LACK OF SUCCESS IN WINNING UN APPROVAL FOR BRUNEI'S REMOVAL FROM LIST (4TH COMITE INSTEAD ADOPTED RES DEC.

4 CALLING FOR UN VISITING MISSION TO "TERRITORY") THEREFORE DOES NOT NECESSARILY SERVE AS EXAMPLE OF TREATMENT USG WOULD RECEIVE IF WE SHOULD DECIDE AT SOME LATER DATE TO  
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REQUEST REMOVAL FROM LIST OF AMERICAN SAMOA, GUAM OR

USVI (WHICH WE STILL ACKNOWLEDGE AS NON SELF-  
GOVERNING TERRITORIES). UN OBSERVATION, BY MEANS OF  
VISITING MISSION OR OTHER DEVICE, OF A TERRITORY'S  
"ACT OF SELF-DETERMINATION" APPEARS, HOWEVER, TO BE NECESSARY  
PREREQUISITE FOR SECURING UN APPROVAL OF TERRITORY'S  
REMOVAL FROM LIST.  
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